

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1357

Honolulu, Hawaii  
April 2, 2013

RE: H.R. No. 160

Honorable Joseph M. Souki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2013  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.R. No. 160  
entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND  
CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR MARRIAGE  
AND FAMILY THERAPY: HAWAII DIVISION, TO DEVELOP DRAFT  
LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING, IMPLEMENTING, AND MONITORING  
CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL LICENSED MARRIAGE  
AND FAMILY THERAPISTS IN HAWAII,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to ensure the quality of  
services provided by licensed marriage and family therapists by  
requesting the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs and the  
American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy: Hawaii  
Division to develop draft legislation establishing continuing  
education requirements for licenses.


Many concerned individuals testified in support of this  
measure. The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs  
commented on this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your  
Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your  
Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 160 and  
recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Consumer  
Protection & Commerce.

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Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Health,

*for*   
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DELLA AU BELATTI, Chair



